

ARASU ENGINEERING COLLEGE

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Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam – 612 501, Tamilnadu.

Anti Ragging Committee

Introduction:

Ragging is a criminal offense. Ragging is strictly prohibited by both State Govt. and Central Govt.

Objectives:

- ❖ To prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging including any conduct by any student whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness a fresher or any other student, or indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities by any student.
- ❖ To monitor, direct and oversee the functions and performance of the Anti-Ragging Squads in prevention and curbing of ragging in the institution.

Responsibilities:

- ❖ To be vigilant at all hours all around the campus and other places vulnerable to incidents of, and having the potential of, ragging and shall be empowered to inspect such places.
- ❖ To make surprise raids on hostels, and other places vulnerable to incidents and having the potential for ragging.
- ❖ To conduct an on-the-spot enquiry into any incident of ragging referred to it by the faculty or student or parent or guardian, as the case may be: and the enquiry report along with recommendations shall be submitted to the Head of the Institution for action.
- ❖ To ensure the display of posters on Institution and Department Notice Boards and other prominent designated places.
- ❖ To offer services of counseling and create awareness to the students.


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Action taken report regarding the committee formed in our college during the academic year 2023-24

- ❖ The Anti- Ragging committee was constituted by the chairman of committee and first meeting was conducted on 04.08.2023 at Principals' cabin, to review and strengthen the measures to curb the menace of ragging in the college for the session 2023-2024.
 - Anti-ragging committee members : Given in **Annexure - I**
- ❖ The Anti - Ragging Squad is formed. The Squad in full or parts may be called upon to make surprise raids on hostels & other hot spots like College bus stop and will be empowered to inspect places of potential ragging. The Squad will work under the overall guidance of anti ragging committee.
 - Anti-ragging committee members : Given in **Annexure - II**
- ❖ Ragging is totally prohibited in the campus. If any student is found indulging in ragging, severe action will be taken against the student.
- ❖ Based on the Hon"ble Supreme Court of India,,s Direction, the UGC has issued Regulations and Guide lines. Some of the guidelines are as under:
- ❖ The UGC Regulations on "What Constitutes Ragging" is given in **Annexure –III**
- ❖ The UGC Guidelines on the award of punishment to those found guilty are also given in the **Annexure- IV**.
- ❖ The objectives and responsibilities of the committee members were formulated.

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- ❖ CCTV cameras are mounted in various places of the college to effectively monitor the students indulging in ragging.
 - ❖ As per the guidelines the college should obtain undertaking from the students as well as from the parents that the students will not indulge in any form of ragging. Format of the undertaking is attached in Annexure V & VI.



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Annexure - I

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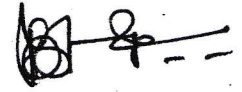
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Anti Ragging Committee 2023-2024

Sl. No.	Name	Position (Chairman/Member)	Professional Designation	Telephone numbers	E-mail	Address
1.	Dr. T.Balamurugan	Chairman	Principal	0435-2777788	arasuengg@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
2.	Mr. Kannan	Member	Police Inspector	0435-2460100	-	Police Station, Thiruvudaimaruthur, Thanjavur District
3.	Mr.Sivakumar	Member	Tahsildar	9445000634	-	Taluk Office, Thiruvudaimaruthur, Thanjavur District
4.	Mr.N. Rajendran	Member	Official of NGO	9585414416	-	Gokulam Nagar, Chettimandapam, Kumbakonam
5.	Dr. B. Vijila Ravishankar	Member	DGO and Psychiatrist	9443096043	-	Thirumalai Nambi Street, Kumbakonam
6.	Dr. Kalaimani Shanmugam	Member	Vice Principal	0435-2777799	viceprincipal@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
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Annexure - II

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Anti Ragging Squad 2023-2024

The Anti-Ragging squad will function under the guidance and supervision of Anti-Ragging Committee. It will carry out the raids periodically and if requested, resort to surprise raids, to detect and prevent ragging. The Anti-Ragging squad is constituted as follows :

Sl. No.	Name	Position	Professional Designation	Telephone numbers	E-mail	Address
1	Dr. S. Sundaraselvan	Overall Coordinator	Assistant Professor /Mechanical	0435-2777922	sundaraselvan mech@aec.org .in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
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3	Mr. A. R. Mahendran	Member	Assistant Professor - ECE	0435 - 2777822	mahendranece @aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
4	Mr. P. Alexraj	Member	Assistant Professor - EEE	0435-27778333	alexrajeee@ae c.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District

5	Mr. S. Vijay	Member	Assistant Professor - Agri	0435-2777911	svijay@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
6	Ms. K. Shobana	Member	Assistant Professor - CSE	0435-2777811	shobanacse@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
7	Mr. G. Sakthivel	Member	Assistant Professor - Maths	0435-2777844	sakthivelmath@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
8	Mr. M. Vetrivelvan	Member	Deputy Warden- Boys Hostel	0435-2452111	aecboyshostel@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District
9	Ms. R. Arunkiliyal	Member	Deputy Warden - Girls Hostel	0435-2777899	aecgirlshostel@aec.org.in	Arasu Engineering College, Chennai Main Road, Kumbakonam, Thanjavur District



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Annexure - III

What Constitutes Ragging: Ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts:

- a. Any conduct by any student or students whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness a fresher or any other student.
- b. Indulging in rowdy or in disciplined activities by any student or students which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship, physical or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in any fresher or any other student.
- c. Asking any student to do any act which such student will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame, or torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student.
- d. Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student or a fresher.
- e. Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students .
- f. Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students.
- g. Any act of physical abuse including all variants of it: sexual abuse , homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene and lewd acts, gestures, causing bodily harm or any other danger to health or person.
- h. Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, post public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student.
- i. Any act that affects the mental health and self- confidence of a fresher or any other student.
- j. With or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power, authority or superiority by a student over any fresher or any other student.



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Annexure - IV

Administrative action in the event of ragging

- Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
- Withholding/withdrawing scholarship/fellowship and other benefits.
- Debarring from appearing in any test/examination or other evaluation process.
- Withholding results.
- Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or International meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
- Suspension/Expulsion from the hostel.
- Cancellation of admission.
- Rustication from the institution for period ranging from one to four semesters.
- Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution for a specified period.



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